2026 Parent and Community Code of Conduct
Supporting learning, wellbeing and safety in our school

Our school prides itself on the collaboration between parents/carers and the broader community. The purpose of our Parent and Community Code of Conduct is to outline to all community members our expectations of conduct.
We will continue to*:*

- Welcome parents and other members of our diverse community into our school
- Work together with the school community
- Ensure that school staff and students are provided with a safe and supportive teaching and learning environment

The expectation of parents & community members is that they uphold our core values: Respect–Connect–Inspire.

ELEMENTS OF ENGAGEMENT	It is expected that staff, parents, community members and visitors to our school will:	Staff, parents, community members and visitors to our school demonstrate this by:
Communication	• be polite to others • act as positive role models • recognise and respect personal differences • (Parents/Carers) use the school's communication processes to address concerns • (Parents) ensure their child attends school ready to learn • support the Student Code of Conduct	• using polite spoken and written language • speaking and behaving respectfully at all times • demonstrating that all members of the school community should be treated with respect and therefore set a good example in their own behaviours • informing staff if the behaviour of others is negatively impacting them or their family • accepting that staff will respond to appropriate communication within 72 hours (unless for any unforeseen reason they cannot) • requesting a meeting to discuss any concerns about their student's education • taking responsibility for their child arriving and departing school on time every day and ready to learn • reading and encouraging students to understand and follow the Student Code of Conduct
Collaboration		• respect the school and the decisions that are made aligned to the relevant policy and/or procedure • seeking to clarify a student's version of events with the school in order to bring about a peaceful solution to any issue that may arise • (Parents) correcting their own student's inappropriate behaviour • approach the school, not other parents and community members, to help resolve any issues of concern
School Culture	• recognise every student is important to the school • contribute to a positive school culture by working with the school community to enhance student outcomes • work together to resolve issues or concerns • respect people's privacy	• valuing each child's education • acknowledging staff are responsible for supporting the whole school community • understanding that both staff and parents need to work together for the benefit of our students • speaking positively about the school and its staff • not making negative comments about the school, other school community members, including students – in person, in writing or on social media (all platforms) • understanding, at times, compromises may be necessary • considering the privacy of all school community members at all times, and understanding that the school cannot share confidential information

In order to provide a safe and supportive learning environment for our staff and students, the school will not tolerate parents and/or the broader community members exhibiting the following behaviours:

- **Disruptive behaviour** which interferes or threatens to interfere with the daily operations of the school
- **Using loud and/or offensive language**
- **Threatening** to do actual bodily harm
- **Damaging or destroying property** that is not theirs
- **Abusive or threatening communication** via e-mail, phone, social media or other relevant methods
- **Defamatory, offensive or derogatory comments** regarding the school via e-mail, phone, social media or other relevant methods